

**Delaware Interscholastic Athletic Association**  
**Contest Suspension Appeal Subcommittee**  
**9-19-18**  
**6 pm**  
**John W. Collette Education Center – Room D**  
**35 Commerce Way, Dover, DE**

- 1-** The meeting was called to order by DIAA Executive Director Thomas Neubauer at 6:02pm.
- 2-** Members Present were: Thomas Neubauer, DIAA Executive Director, Dr. Bradley Layfield, DIAA Board Chair, James Comegys, DIAA State Football Committee Chair, and Jim Smith NDFOA representative. Brian Moore, DIAA Sportsmanship Committee member, was unable to attend.

Also in attendance were: Rodney Smith, NDFOA Assignor, David Collins, Hodgson AD & Coach, Dan Ritter, Howard AD & Coach, and Rashaan Matthews, Howard Coach.

**3- Appeal of Hodgson Vocational Technical High School Football Player #50 (DIAA #2018-9-6)**

The committee reviewed the Game Officials report and the request of appeal from Hodgson. The committee watched a videotape of the incident several times, specifically focusing on #50. The Committee voted 3-1 [Yes- Smith, Comegys, Neubauer / No –Layfield] in favor of rescinding the suspension resulting from the game ejection.

**4- Appeal of Howard High School of Technology Football Player #50 (DIAA #2018-9-7)**

The committee reviewed the Game Officials report and the message of appeal from Howard. The committee watched a videotape of the incident several times, specifically focusing on #50. The Committee voted 4-0 [Yes- Smith, Comegys, Neubauer, Layfield] in favor of rescinding the suspension resulting from the game ejection.

- 5-** Motion to adjourn made by Dr. Layfield, seconded by Mr. Comegys, vote 4-0. Meeting adjourned at 6:17pm.